

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-42: (Canceled)

Claim 43 (Currently Amended): An encrypted data transmitting method comprising the steps of:

encrypting data by using a key;

transmitting the key and information indicating a watching and listening unit time until changing to a next key to a receiving side;

encrypting data by using a key;

transmitting the encrypted data to the receiving side;

transmitting information for decoding the encrypted data to the receiving side, in accordance with a request from the receiving side issued on the basis of the information indicating the watching and listening unit time;

executing transmitting of said information for decoding the encrypted data, and recording a watching and listening time obtained by integrating the time until changing the key;

changing the key for each of the watching and listening unit every time until changing the key; and

recording a watching and listening time obtained by integrating the watching and listening unit time; and

charging on the basis of the recorded watching and listening time.

Claim 44 (Currently Amended): A method according to claim 43, wherein the request from the receiving side is issued before the watching and listening unit time elapses time until changing the key elapses.

Claim 45 (Previously Presented): A method according to claim 43, wherein the information for decoding the encrypted data is a key which data is encrypted.

Claim 46 (Currently Amended): A computer readable medium storing a computer program for causing to execute an encrypted data transmitting method comprising the steps of:
~~encrypting data by using a key;~~
transmitting ~~the key and~~ information indicating a watching and listening unit time until changing to a next key to a receiving side;
encrypting data by using a key;
transmitting the encrypted data to the receiving side;
transmitting information for decoding the encrypted data to the receiving side, in accordance with a request from the receiving side issued on the basis of the information indicating the watching and listening unit time;
~~executing transmitting of said information for decoding the encrypted data, and recording a watching and listening time obtained by integrating the time until changing the key;~~
changing the key for each of the watching and listening unit; every time until changing the key; and

recording a watching and listening time obtained by integrating the watching and listening unit time; and

charging on the basis of the ~~recorded~~ watching and listening time.